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# LEDGER

MAYSVILLE, KY., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1899.

EIGHTH YEAR.

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ONE CENT.

## WEATHER WISE.

What May Be Expected Here During the Next Thirty-six Hours.

### THE LEDGER CODE

**BLIZZARD**  
White streamer—Fails;  
Black—Rain now.  
**SNOW**  
White streamer—Winters grow;  
Black—REMARK—Colder will be;  
If Black's not shown no change will see.  
**SHRINKING FORECAST**—Are we ready for the  
shrinkage? Shrink, shrink, shrink, for it's  
tomorrow's forecast.



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## LARGEST IN THE CITY.

### Purely Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "notions" to the public. The public is too wise to overrate the value of dry goods or any other article. It is better to have a small business concern. His customers are stock in trade and the paper will be the best for him, no matter in what part of the paper he appears.

All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.

If you have an item of news, please call up THE LEDGER, Telephone 38, and send it in.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr. Al McCormick of Richmond is visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. Mary K. Boyd is visiting Mrs. Tina Johnson of Mexico, Mo.

Mr. R. M. Adams was down from Portsmith yesterday visiting friends.

Mrs. Grace Friedman of Clmontville, O., is visiting her sister, Mrs. James A. Wallace.

Mollie Hatto of Lexington is the guest of Mrs. Alice Boyd and family of West Second street.

Moses Milton Johnson and Frank O. Barkley are home from Hot Springs, greatly improved.

Insure today. You may fall.

PICKETT & ALEXANDER.

The Mason County League of Tobacco Growers will hold a meeting in this city today.

Mrs. L. V. Davis has just received a most beautiful line of Spring Veilings, all styles and all prices.

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# FIGHTING

**Insurgents at Manila Inaugurated an Engagement.**

**BATTLE CONTINUED SUNDAY**

**The American Army and Navy Signally Successful.**

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**The Cruiser Charleston and the Gunboat Concord Bombed the Rebels.**

**The American Forces Made Magnificent Charges, Capturing Several of the Enemy's Positions.**

**The Loss of the Americans Was 20 KILLED and 135 WOUNDED—The Filipinos Lost Heavily.—The Situation Is Satisfactory—No Approaches to Manilla.**

**WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The following message was received Sunday morning:**

"To the Secretary of the Navy, Washington:

Inspurts here inaugurated general engagement yesterday night which was continued to-day. The American army and navy is generally successful. Insurgents have been driven back and our line advanced. No casualties to navy.

(Signed) D. W.

MANILA, Feb. 6.—The following dispatch was received at 1:15 Monday morning:

"MANILA, Feb. 5.—To Adjutant General: Situation most satisfactory; no apprehension need be felt. Perfect quiet prevails in city and vicinity. List of casualties being prepared and will be forwarded soon as possible. Troops in excellent health and spirits throughout."

MANILA, Feb. 6.—The Filipinos attacked the American line from Caloocan to Santa Mesa at 8:45 Saturday evening. There was heavy fusillade on both sides and the artillery was used. The United States cruiser Charleston and the gunboat Concord bombarded the enemy.

The Americans, after magnificent charges, captured several of the enemy's positions.

The Americans lost 20 killed and had 135 wounded. The Filipinos lost heavily.

The long-expected rupture between the Americans and the Filipinos has come at last. The former are now engaged in solving the Philippine problem with the utmost expedition possible.

The clash came at 8:40 Saturday evening, when three daring Filipinos



directing him to follow up his victory over the insurgents and to crush the power of Aguinaldo in the Philippines.

This was the decision reached at an important cabinet meeting held in the white house Saturday night, attended by the president, Secretary Hay, Secretary of War, Secretary of State, General Ord, and Adm. Gen. Corbin.

It was further decided, now that Aguinaldo has thrown down the gauntlet, that Hollis shall be taken and the islands of the archipelago occupied as rapidly as possible, and to the extent that Gen. Otis' forces will permit.

MADRID, Feb. 6.—Intense excitement was caused here by the receipt Sunday evening of a following cablegram addressed to Gen. Rius, the Spanish commander in the Philippines:

"The insurgents have violently at-

tacked and captured almost the whole of the exterior American line. The Americans offered a vigorous defense at the exterior barriers, using their artillery as well as the squadron.

"The war ships destroyed and burned Caloocan, Pasig and several towns in the neighborhood. Both sides affably. Very sharp fighting ensued.

"The Spanish troops have been confined to quarters, but a sergeant has been wounded by a stray bullet."

"Rius."

The popular sympathies here are on

the side of Aguinaldo, but thinking

people are anxious regarding the con-

sequences of the fighting, specially on

account of the many prisoners still

in the hands of the insurgents.

WANZON, Feb. 6, 1915 a.m.—The following dispatch from Gen. Otis has been made public:

"MANILA, Feb. 5.—

"To the Adjutant General: February 5—Insignants in large force opened attack on our outer lines at 8:45 last evening; renewed attack several times during night; at 4 o'clock this morning entire line engaged; all attacks repulsed at daybreak advanced against insurgents and have driven them beyond the

ridge line, but owing to the darkness they were unable to determine its effect.

The Utah light artillery successfully succeeded in silencing the native battery.

The 3d artillery also did good work on the extreme left.

The engagement lasted over an hour, and the fight between Charleston and the rebels at Concordia, and of Malebosa, opened fire from their secondary batteries on the Filipinos' position at Caloscan and kept it up vigorously during last month.

At 2:45 there was another fusillade along the entire line, and the United States seagoing double monitor Monocle opened fire on the enemy from off Malebosa.

With daylight the Americans advanced.

The California and Washington regiments made a splendid charge and drove the Filipinos from the villages of Pao and Santa Mesa. The Nebraska regiment also distinguished itself, capturing several prisoners and one howitzer and a very strong position at the reservoir, which is connected with the water works.

The Kansas and Dakota regiments captured the enemy's right flank in prate cablesgrams.

There was intermittent firing at various points all day long.

The losses of the Filipinos not be estimated at present, but are known to be considerable.

The American losses are estimated at 20 men killed and 125 wounded.

The Yorogos, armed with bows and arrows, made a valiant resistance and stand to the face of the artillery fire and the hand-to-hand combat.

Several attempts were made in this city Saturday evening to assassinate American officers.

MANILA, Monday, Feb. 6, 9 a.m.—

The Filipinos have apparently reached the conclusion that the American mean business, now that the barriers are removed, as there were no further hostilities on their part.

A movement was made to recover the lost ground.

It is possible, however, that they are following the tactics they employed against the Spaniards and will merely lie off a few days to recuperate their forces before returning to the attack.

It is impossible to ascertain as yet how the news has been received at Malolos, the seat of the insurgent government, but in Manila Aguinaldo expresses optimism regarding the movement for independence, has received its death blow and likely annexation will soon be welcomed generally.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Instruction will be sent to Gen. Otis Monday

regarding the peace treaty.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 6.—Capt. W. C. Johnson, senior vice commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., is the head of the Johnson Bros. Hardware Co., of this city. He has been appointed to become acting commander-in-chief upon the death of his superior, or continues as the acting commander-in-chief until the vacancy is filled.

AGONCILLO, Feb. 6.—The following message was received at 1:10 Sunday morning in Washington:

"The Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic Expects at 1:10 Sunday Morning in Washington,

"Washington, Feb. 6.—Col. James A. Sexton, commanding-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, and a member of the investigating commission, died at 3:30 o'clock Sunday morning at Garfield hospital from complications resulting primarily from an attack of the grippe.

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themselves and closed by urging that

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## USE CONCILIATION

It is Urged That It Should Be Tried on the Insurgents in the Philippines.

## CONDITION REPORTED IMPROVING.

Gov. Otis Directed to Keep in Communication with Aguinaldo and Explain Our Friendliness.

One of the Committees Now on the Way to Manila Shall Be Directed to Confer with the Insurgent Leader as Porter Did With Gomez.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—In view of the satisfactory outcome in Cuba, it is urged by some that a similar experiment should be tried with Aguinaldo. Advice from Gen. Otis shows that conditions in the archipelago are improving. He states that he is confident that when the treaty of peace is ratified the opposition to American control will collapse.

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to offer you the friendship of my people, to give you our trade and pay all the expenses of obtaining our freedom for us from Spain. In return you refuse to even listen to me. If you had been only willing to listen to what I had to offer all of this trouble could have been avoided. It is not the seeking of my people. We are a people and we love our freedom."

"Are your people willing to do anything short of independence?"

"I will not say. They want to be free and independent, the same as this country."

"What will they do if the treaty is ratified and the United States assumes sovereignty?"

"I do not know. If the Americans

attempt to conquer the Philippines it will take at least ten years, and even then they would not be conquered in heart. They will never be conquered.

"They will never be completely rising to gain their independence."

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to offer you the friendship of my people, to give you our trade and pay all the expenses of obtaining our freedom for us from Spain. In return you refuse to even listen to me. If you had been only willing to listen to what I had to offer all of this trouble could have been avoided. It is not the seeking of my people. We are a people and we love our freedom."

Agoncillo repeated that he would re-

turn to the United States as soon as he

learned the reliable news about the

events of Saturday in the Philippines.

The impression that his manner gave

was that he is a very bold and frank

envoy.

DON CARLOS WILL SIGN TUESDAY FRI.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The Paris corre-

spounder of the Daily Graphic tele-

graphed the substance of an interview

he had with the agent of Don Car-

los, who is a man of great influence

in the Philippines. The interview

was conducted in English. The agent

of Don Carlos said that he had

no longer any doubt that the pretender

would take the field as soon as the

peace treaty was ratified. The organiza-

tion of the rising has been entrusted

to Marquis de Corralvo.

The popular sympathies here are on

the side of Aguinaldo, but thinking

people are anxious regarding the con-

sequences of the fighting, specially on

account of the many prisoners still

in the hands of the insurgents.

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Correspondents will please send letters to reach us not later than 9 o'clock a.m. Over full columns will not be accepted. We would prefer no departmental or news advertising notices or political arguments.

### SPILLS FROM SARDIS.

What is Going On In and Near the Seats of Religion.

Mr. Tom Doyle on the left list.

Mr. James Leachman is much improved.

Little Davy Glen Griswold is on the sick list.

Mrs. W. T. Grover is quite sick with influenza.

Mrs. Kate McRidway is quite sick at this writing.

Mrs. John Robb of Saris is visiting her.

Mr. Henry Conrad, of West Liberty.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sutt, new baby

girl, weighing 7 lbs. a big boy, weight 11 pounds. Adonis is a mimic.

Rev. Calvert and wife intended for dinner a few days ago Mr. G. W. Dye and wife and Mr. W. T. Grover and wife, all of this town.

Mr. Frank Duncan and family moved to West Liberty a few days ago, where they will make their future home and where Mr. Duncan will soon be known to many here.

Mr. Rev. Calvert and wife of our Saris arrived from Louisville Wednesday, February 1st, Rev. Calvert, wife and two sons, Claude and Campbell, of Saris and Mr. Tom and Miss Maggie Calvert of Carlisle.

### FOXPOT FANCIES.

Glammy Greetings by a Pastoral Correspondent in That Happy Region.

Boru, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Martin, a son, born to William Hinckley and wife, a girl.

Sister and Moore are having a hard time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gividen were the pleasant guests of J. W. Martin and wife Tuesday.

## Dissolution Sale!

THE DISSOLVING OF THE PARTNERSHIP OF

LEE & BALLINGER,

And their intention of retiring permanently from business throws upon the market their entire stock of merchandise, consisting of one of the finest and best selected stocks in the state. In our

## CLOTHING!

Department we handle the very best makes of tailor-made ready-to-wear garments, such makes as the celebrated Stine-Bloch Co., the Vitals Brand and many other noted makes. We have them in all sizes, from the smallest child 3 years of age to a man who wears a 48.

We also do Merchant Tailoring by expert cutters and tailors. We have a splendid line of piece goods and trimmings that we will make up for you for almost what the goods will cost you elsewhere, or we will sell you the goods at your own price. Our

### Men's Furnishing Goods, Trunks and Traveling Bags, Hats, Caps.

One of the largest stocks in the city goes along with the rest. There is positively no reserve. The entire stock will be offered and the prices will cut no figure. We know we have got to lose money on these goods and have made up our minds to lose it quick, get out of business and stop expenses.

SPOT CASH ONLY will be the terms of this sale. This is an opportunity never before offered to the people to supply themselves with Clothing at prices that will pay them to buy, even if they don't need them now, as they never will again get them for the same money. The sale will continue until the entire stock is disposed of. The first to come will get first choice.

Sale to commence January 28th, 1899.

LEE & BALLINGER

Cor. Second and Market Streets, Maysville, Ky.

It is announced by the Navy Department that the battleship Kentucky will be commanded by Captain Colby M. Chester, one of the most accomplished naval officers in the service.

### Dangers of the Grippe.

The grippe is a dangerous disease. If no care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. American Society for the Prevention of Disease has issued a circular to all physicians who have had the grippe to tell them to give up the practice of a single case having resulted in pneumonia which shows conclusively that this remedy is a certain preventive of this disease. It is a safe and effective remedy. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by J. J. Wood & Son, Druggists.

### OPERA-HOUSE OPENING.

Entertainments Will Be the Best of Home Talent.

FEBRUARY 9TH-10TH THE DATES.



The success for the Opera house arrived Saturday and was immediately started for the proper place on the stage. This statement is made so that any misgivings as to opening Thursday night may be dispelled. This afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the auditorium proper the public is asked to come to buy at auction the lovely boxes and the choice seats. Our people have no conception of the beauty, convenience and strength of Washington Opera-house. It is a modern theater, strictly capable of having my company appear upon its stage. The comfort of patrons has been well planned and splendidly carried out; the finish and completion is durable and the means at hand to give up-to-date performances cannot be excelled in this or any other theater.

Upon his return to the hotel he immediately saw his room, seemingly bent on making a quick dash for a nap.

He was soon up again, another guest, who had just turned in for the night, inhaled a strong

odor of gas emanating from the gas room. The door was quickly forced open and the man found lying in unconscious on the bed.

He was carried into another room and re-

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When questioned about his health he re-

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"COLDN'T FIND THE KEY?"

And That's Why a Vanceburg Hayseed Blew Out the Gas.

Almer Neal of Vanceburg was a recent graduate at the Arlington at Portsmouth.

After supper Almer thought he would have a walk out to "sonder" part of the city, to see the sights.

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Asked which was the best night, must refuse to judge, because one is so much better than the other and each host of all that advise you to choose one preference to the group would be deprive you of much enjoyment. So we say go to every performance and then tell us to tell us which you liked best. Each night is different.

There may be February 9th-Dedication, music and tableau.

Friday night-Two bright and well acted farce comedies.

Saturday night-The vaudeville variety, charming songs, beautiful dances, entrancing music, haircress drills, &c., a fashionable kewkew, which will be done by artists in the latest duds, in the steppened manah and with that grace which will be a revelation.

You have an idea Maysville boys and girls could create so much cause for fun. These are what will be seen and hear at the performances which are to open Washington Opera-house.

Frequent accidents occur in the city, both while walking and riding, sprains and fractures. For use in such an injury Dr. J. Jas. Wood & Son's Patent for many years been the constant favorite family remedy. Price 25 cents and Menses. J. Jas. Wood & Son.

AGONCILLO SKIPS OUT.

On His Way to Montreal-It is Stated

Unofficially That He Will Be Arrested at Houses Point.

Thon, N. Y., Feb. 6.-Ward was received in this city at 10 o'clock Sunday night that Agoncillo would reach here on his way to Montreal at 11:30 o'clock. The train arrived on time, and with the train was a party of newspaper men. When the cars pulled into the Union station here word was given out that Agoncillo was in one of the side cars and that he could not be disturbed.

He had retired at Poughkeepsie.

The train left Troy at 11:30 o'clock for Montreal and is due at that point at 7 o'clock Monday morning. It was stated here in an unofficial way that Agoncillo would be arrested at Rouses Point, but it could not be learned that any arrangements had been made to this effect.

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